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SUBJECT: F5ES FOR ROK

REF: (A) SEOUL 4936

1. INFORMATION REQUESTED REFTEL FORWARDED BY JOINT STATE/
DEFENSE MESSAGE. THIS MESSAGE ADDRESSES STATUS OF
RECOVERED VIET NAM EQUIPMENT.

2. WE HAVE UNDER CONSIDERATION QUESTIONS OF DISTRIBUTION
OF THE RECOVERED VIET NAM ASSETS. THE DEPARTMENT HAS
MADE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NSC AND IT MAY BE POSSIBLE
TO MAKE AVAILABLE SOME OF THESE ASSETS TO THE ROKG. AT
THIS POINT, HOWEVER, WE CANNOT PREDICT WHEN FINAL DE-
CISION ON THIS WILL BE MADE. YOU SHOULD BE AWARE,
HOWEVER, THAT THE SERVICES HAVE REQUESTED RETURN OF
THE HIGH PRIORITY ITEMS INCLUDING F5S IN PARTICULAR.
WE ARE RESISTING THIS.

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3. IN ANY EVENT, WE CANNOT DELAY INFORMING THE ROKG OF

THE RETURN OF THE REHAB F5ES PENDING WORD OF ANY ADDITIONAL AIRCRAFT FROM THE RECOVERED VIETNAM ASSETS. WE WILL, OF COURSE, KEEP YOU INFORMED OF THE STATUS OF THE VIET NAM EQUIPMENT SO THAT YOU MAY INFORM THE ROKG OF ANY POT SWEETNERS SHOULD THEY BECOME AVAILABLE. INGERSOLL

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